

The White Fair

...ANNUAL UNDERMUSLINS SALE...

The greatest display of Muslin Underwear Pendleton women have ever selected from. We call particular attention to the magnificent display of Peerless Underwear, the Best Muslin Underwear made in America.

15 PER CENT—REDUCTION ON EVERY GARMENT—15 PER CENT.
NO RESERVE—EVERY GARMENT AT ABOVE DISCOUNT.

15 Per Cent Reduction on Corset Covers, 15 Per Cent.
15 Per Cent Reduction on Drawers, 15 Per Cent.
15 Per Cent Reduction on Night Gowns, 15 Per Cent.
15 Per Cent Reduction on Petticoats, 15 Per Cent.
15 Per Cent Reduction on Chemise, 15 Per Cent.

Extra Special Sale on entire stock of laces and embroideries, at 15 per cent discount. We are showing the largest and best selected line of laces and embroideries in the city.

ALEXANDER DEPT. STORE

THE GIVERS OF BEST VALUES.

Holiday Leftovers

FOR LESS

No firm that carries as large a holiday line as we, expects to have it completely exhausted, and while our fine assortment and low prices resulted in the largest holiday trade in the history of the store, still the demand ran pretty evenly in most lines, so that we still have a good assortment to choose from. There are several very good reasons why we do not want to carry this stock over until next year, and we have determined to sacrifice it now:

- 1st. There is a decided advantage in having an entirely new stock each year.
 - 2nd. We never sell old goods at the price of new.
 - 3rd. We don't want to invoice all the goods left over.
 - 4th. We haven't room to store them all if we wanted to.
 - 5th. We prefer to sell them at a sacrifice and have the use of the money.
- Accordingly every item that can be classed as holiday goods will be sold at cost.

The Gift You Didn't Expect

You no doubt received a gift from an unexpected source, or perhaps overlooked some one who remembered you. This sale affords you an opportunity of giving a return or New Year's gift, or of securing some of these superb goods for your personal use at prices you cannot hope to match again.

SALE WILL CLOSE JANUARY 1

Tallman & Co.

Leading Druggists

Suitable Gifts for...

NEW YEARS

COLLECTION LARGE
VARIETY GOOD
PRICES LOW.

Winslow Bros.

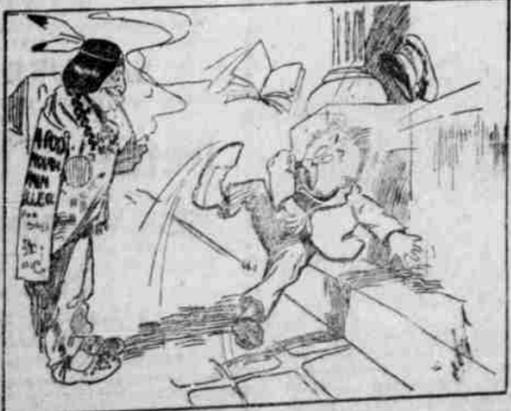
I. L. VAUGHN
ELECTRICIAN.

Prompt attend a given and all work executed properly.
Electrical Supplies of all kinds.
OFFICE—121 West Court St.
(Tribune Building.)

FOR SALE AT THE EAST OREGONIAN office—large bundles of newspapers, containing over 100 big papers, can be obtained for 25 cents a bundle.



Speedy Sam, the Messenger (reading)—Chief Yellow Dog came at Dashing Dan with his tomahawk raised to strike. Suddenly Dan pulls his trusty six-shooter, and bang! bang! Yel low Dog bit the dust. Gee, I wish I was—



There.

SCORES WESTERN AMUSEMENTS

PROF. R. A. HERITAGE SAYS TASTES ARE DEPRAVED.

Four Vaudeville Houses in Spokane Are Filled Every Night. While Lectures and Higher Class Entertainments Go Begging—Deplores the Tendency to Tolerate the Light Amusements to the Exclusion of the Intellectual—Northwest Towns Are All More, or Less "Sporty" in Their Tastes.

"Any kind of vaudeville or light melodrama can get a full house in Washington and Oregon towns," said Prof. R. A. Heritage, who recently gave a high class musical performance at the M. E. church in this city. "but a lecture on an intellectual subject, or a musical concert or a drama with a moral and a meaning to it, are but sparingly patronized."

"In Spokane are four vaudeville houses running every night, filled to the very doors. There is nothing to the performances. Many of the programs and numbers are absolutely vulgar, and many more of them are suggestive and immoral, and yet people of seemingly good sense and tastes are seen there, while the high class lectures, the better class of drama, the concert and all entertainments purely intellectual and elevating are patronized by but a few of the most advanced thinkers and educators."

"I think the tendency is dangerous. I think the tastes that are thus debased are responsible for the extremes to which the immoral shows carry their programs of obscenity and suggestiveness."

"I have visited most every great country on earth, and I am frank to say that the tendency toward these low forms of entertainment is stronger in the Northwest than in any place I ever visited."

"It is not that there are no highly intelligent people in this country. It is not that the people are worse here than elsewhere, but it is all due to the fact that people of the best character and highest intelligence tolerate and permit such a tendency instead of stamping it out by denying such performances room or place in the community. Very few good people endorse these things, but they tolerate them, and thus place the stamp of approval upon them."

"I hope to see a revival of the pure stage and the elevating entertainment on the Pacific coast. The intelligence of the people is of a standard that the very best can be keenly appreciated. Lectures and high class drama and music should take the place of the cheap, meaningless shows that now occupy most of the stages, the entire winter through."

BREEDER'S GAZETTE.

Magnificent Christmas Number is Just Issued.

Most of the successes in agriculture are only partial. Farmers as a rule do not realize maximum returns for their work and time. They lose money through lack of technical information. Technical knowledge, coupled with industry and prudence, compels success.

The Breeder's Gazette is a 48 to 60-page illustrated livestock and farm journal which brings every week to the farmer's home the latest and most usable information along these basic lines. It tells him how, why and when. It teaches economy through improved methods and better livestock. It helps the farmer to solve all the problems which beset him in his work. Its regular perusal will enable him to convert losses into profits. With its profusion of beautiful pictures of livestock and farm scenes, and its columns of practical information, it stimulates larger interest in and love for the country, indicating its peculiar possibilities and emphasizing the wholesomeness and independence of rural life.

The Christmas number of the Gazette, just from the press, contains 34 pages, and is replete with illustrations, many of them suitable for framing, and artistically illustrated articles, which are thrilling, instructive and enlightening, written by writers of national repute.

STATUARY FOR THE FAIR.

Works of Art Valued at \$2,500,000 Secured for Lewis and Clark Centennial.

Portland, Dec. 30.—Statuary valued at \$2,500,000 is the magnificent gift of St. Louis to the Lewis and Clark centennial. This represents the cream of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition statuary, and will add an element of beauty to the exposition that nothing else could give.

The statuary was selected a few days ago by Oscar Huber, director of works, who went to St. Louis for the purpose. Notable among the sculptors whose works are represented in the selection are Borglum, Vaudell, Frederic Remington, Weinman, Bitter, Lopez and Ruckstuhl. In selecting the statuary care was taken to secure only such pieces as would harmonize with the Western World's fair. The titles of some of the works selected bear out this. They are: "Group of Buffalo," "Resting Cowboy," "Step to Civilization," "Death of the Red Man," "Sioux Chief," "Cherokee Chief," "Four Neptunes," "Captains Meriwether Lewis and William Clark," "Thomas Jefferson," "Daniel Boone," "Pioneer Seeking Shelter," "Buffalo Dance."

One of the cowboy groups will probably be placed at the main entrance, just in front of the Colonnade.

This group, by Remington, shows four cowboys, mounted on western ponies, shooting off their pistols into the air. The statue is done in staff, but will receive a covering of bronze before being placed in position.

NEW STORY ON CANNON.

Postmaster General Turned a Trick on the Congressman.

Here is a good newspaper story told at the expense of "Uncle Joe" Cannon: Congressman Cannon was not always so powerful in Washington as he has been of late years.

He tells with glee of a visit he once paid to the postoffice department; when blunt Frank Hatton was postmaster general. He took with him a constituent who wanted to be postmaster of his village. Cannon was bitterly opposed to him, but did not want to turn him down openly. When they reached the department, Cannon left the would-be postmaster outside the screen door and went in to see Hatton.

He told Hatton he intended to bring the man in and ask for the place for him, but begged Hatton to refuse it. "Where's the man?" asked Hatton. "Just outside the door," Cannon replied. "In that case," said Hatton, raising his voice so he could be heard a city block, "I want you to know I have lying enough to do here without lying for you. Bring him in." Cannon brought him in and Hatton blandly appointed him.

FRATERNAL TEMPLE FOR FAIR.

Club House for Secret Societies Will Be Erected at Lewis and Clark Centennial.

Portland, Dec. 30.—A handsome Temple of Fraternity will be erected at the Lewis and Clark fair by the secret societies of the country. The building will serve as a meeting place and club house for the thousands of members of the fraternal orders that will visit the fair.

The sum of \$35,000 will be expended in erecting the structure, and \$19,130 of this has already been raised. Of the sum raised, \$10,000 has been pledged by the Associated Fraternities of America, other large contributors being the American Guild, the Order of Washington, the Ladies of the Macabees, the Grand Lodge Ancient Order of United Workmen, and the Knights and Ladies of Honor.

Anniversary of Iroquois Horror.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 30.—One year ago today the civilized world was appalled by news of Chicago's great disaster—the Iroquois theater fire. This afternoon the immediate relatives of the 582 men, women and children who died in the Iroquois theater from fire and suffocation assembled in Willard hall and took part in exercises commemorating the anniversary of the disaster. The exercises were held under the auspices of the Iroquois Memorial Association. Addresses were delivered by Rabbi Hirsch, Bishop C. P. Anderson, and Dr. Jenkin Lloyd Jones.

East Boston Tunnel Opened.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 30.—The new East Boston tunnel under Boston harbor, the opening of which was to have taken place the first of the week but was postponed, was opened to public travel today.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Cattlemen Hopeful.

Crook county is one of the largest sources of the supply of beef for the Northwest markets. For the past month or more it has been the opinion of Crook county cattlemen that the bottom in prices of beef had been reached, and the promised early rise in prices, if it materializes, will bring thousands of dollars into this county. —Ashwood Prospector.

CUTICURA SOAP

The World's Greatest Skin Soap.

The World's Sweetest Toilet Soap.

Sale Greater than the World's Product of Other Skin Soaps.

Sold Wherever Civilization Has Penetrated.

Millions of the world's best people use Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure, for preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp of crusts, scales and dandruff, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening and soothing red, rough and sore hands, for baby rashes, itchings and chaffings, for annoying irritations, or too free or offensive perspiration, for ulcerative weaknesses, and many sensitive, antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves to women, especially mothers, as well as for all the purposes of the toilet, bath and nursery. Cuticura Soap combines delicate emollient properties derived from Cuticura, the great skin cure, with the purest of cleansing ingredients and the most refreshing of flower odors. No other medicated soap ever compounded is to be compared with it for preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair and hands. No other foreign or domestic toilet soap, however expensive, is to be compared with it for all the purposes of the toilet, bath and nursery. Thus it combines in one soap at one price the most effective skin and complexion soap, and the purest and sweetest toilet, bath and nursery soap.

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Soap, 25¢ (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 50¢ per box of 25). Ointment, 50¢. Sold by Druggists, London, 77, Chancery Lane; Paris, 1, Rue de la Harpe; Boston, 15, Cornhill Ave.; Philadelphia, 15, Chestnut St.; New York, 15, Broadway.

Handsome Souvenir Free To stenographers, bookkeepers, bank clerks, sending name and place of employment to us. Agents wanted. Merrill Typewriter Co., Spokane, Wash.



HE BUYS A CHEAP ONE, when price is the only thing a man knows about buggies. After he has had some experience, quality comes first, and you always get that in the vehicles at Neagle's. Winona Wagons, Buggies and Hacks, and the best made. We sell them. Bone-dry timber, well painted and ironed, and warranted by us.

Neagle Brothers

THE BLACKSMITHS.

We sell the Stover Gasoline Engine.

Walters' Flouring Mills

Capacity, 150 barrels a day. Flour exchanged for wheat. Flour, Mill Feed, Chopped Feed, etc. always on hand.

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Happy New Year

Make it happy for friends and relatives by presenting them with some from our line. Chafing Dishes, Silver Plated Tea Sets, Pocket Knives, Pistols, Rifles, Shotguns. The Celebrated GILLETT RAZOR, the safety that is always ready for use. Requires no honing or stropping.

Goodman-Thompson Co.

HARDWARE, STOVES, PLUMBING

BYERS' BEST FLOUR

Is made from the choicest wheat that grows. Good bread is assured when Byers' Best Flour is used. Bran, shorts, steam rolled barley always on hand.

PENDLETON ROLLER MILLS

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